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SUBJECT: PERSONNEL SHIFTS IN FONOFF AMERICAN AFFAIRS BUREAU

REF: TOKYO 6540

1. AS NOTED REFTEL, SHINICHIRO ASAO, DEP DIRGEN OF AMERICAN AFFAIRS BUREAU, HAS BEEN REPLACED BY HIROSHI KITAMURA. ASAO WILL BECOME CONSUL GENERAL IN VANCOUVER. KITAMURA IS DESCRIBED BY FONOFF COLLEAGUES AS PARTICULARLY BRIGHT AND TALENTED. HIS MOST RECENT ASSIGNMENTS INCLUDE YEAR AT HARVARD BOWIE SEMINAR AND STINT AS PRIVATE SECRETARY TO PM MIKI. SINCE LAST DECEMBER, KITAMURA HAS BEEN ON "SABBATICAL" FROM FONOFF, GIVING LECTURES WITHIN JAPAN AND HEADING CULTURAL SURVEY MISSION TO LATIN AMERICA.

2. MAJOR PERSONNEL SHIFTS ARE ANTICIPATED WITHIN FONOFF FOLLOWING CONCLUSION OF DIET SESSION, INCLUDING SHIFT OF AMERICAN AFFAIRS DIRGEN TOSHIO YAMAZAKI TO DEPUTY VICE MINISTER FOR ADMINISTRATION VICE NOBUO MATSUNAGA. FRONT-RUNNING CANDIDATE FOR YAMAZAKI'S POST IS CURRENT TREATIES BUREAU DIRGEN TOSHIJIRO NAKAJIMA, BUT THIS MOVE IS NOT SET.
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